

Mr. Robert Braun serves as the Chief Technology Officer for the XVIII Airborne Corps. Prior to assuming his duties as the senior technology advisor to the Corps, Mr. Braun served as the Senior Director of Technology with Augustine Consulting Incorporated (ACI). He also served as the Deputy Chief Engineer and Lead Software Engineer for Product Manager (PdM) Integrated Visual Augmentation System (IVAS). During his tenure with ACI, his contributions were critical to their recognition by Inc.com as one the 5000 fastest growing companies in America in 2021, 2022, and 2023.

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While serving on active duty in the United States Army, Mr. Braun completed several deployments supporting both peace keeping and combat operations. His deployments include Operation Stabilization Forces 9 (SFOR9) – Bosnia and Herzegovina, Operation Iraqi Freedom, Operation Enduring Freedom, Operation Freedom's Sentinel, and Operation Inherent Resolve. Mr. Braun's awards and decorations include the Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Defense Meritorious Service Medal, Meritorious Service Medal, Joint Service Commendation Medal, Army Commendation Medal, Joint Service Achievement Medal, Army Achievement Medal, the Army Parachutist Badge, the Combat Action Badge, and the Ranger Tab. He was recognized as the Special Operations Command Communicator of the Year in 2015 and 2018.

Mr. Braun holds a Master of Business Administration in IT Management from Western Governor's University, a Bachelor of Professional Studies in Technology Management from Excelsior College, and an Associate of Science in Network Administration from Keiser University.

He is married to Tricia Braun and they have two daughters: Danielle and Maddisyn.